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## **Two Falls Church Police Officers Promoted Within the Ranks**

FALLS CHURCH, VA. – Former Sergeant Matthew Sergent was promoted to Captain and former Officer Pilar Uelmen of the Police Department's K-9 Unit was promoted to Sergeant. Police Chief Robert Murray honored both officers at a ceremony held early this week.

Captain Sergent has been with the Falls Church Police Department for 15 years and Sergeant Uelmen has been with the Department for nine years.

"Captain Sergent and Sergeant Uelmen are representative of the dedicated Police force we have in the City. I am honored to have the opportunity to work with officers like Captain Sergent and Sergeant Uelmen who are committed to protect and serve our citizens and to our team," says Chief Robert Murray.

Promotions for both officers became effective Monday, January 24, 2005.

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